

## **AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

**Please amend paragraph [0006] on page 3 as follows:**

[0006] Japanese Patent Kokai Publication No. 345394/2000 ~~describes~~discloses that an electrodeposition coating composition containing two different resins that are incompatible with each other and have solubility parameter difference of not less than 1 is electrically coated to form an ~~electrodeposited~~electrodeposited coating with complete layer separation which provides with corrosion resistance and weather resistance equal to two-layer coating film.

**Please amend paragraph [0023] on page 13 as follows:**

[0023] The cation-modified acrylic resin can be synthesized by ring opening addition ~~polymerization~~ of acrylic copolymer containing both plural oxirane rings and hydroxyl groups in a molecular with amines. The acrylic copolymer is obtained by copolymerizing (i) glycidyl (meth)acrylate; (ii) hydroxyl group containing acrylic monomer (for example, addition product of hydroxyl group containing (meth)acrylic ester, such as 2-hydroxymethyl (meth)acrylate, 2-hydroxypropyl (meth)acrylate, 2-hydroxybutyl (meth)acrylate, or 2-hydroxyethyl (meth)acrylate; and  $\epsilon$ -caprolactone); and (iii) the other acrylic monomer and/or non-acrylic monomer.